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TITLE OF INVENTION: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR EFFICIENT DATA TRANSMISSION CONTROL IN A WIRELESS

VOICE-OVER-DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM

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Allowable Subject Matter

1. Claims 18-28, 30, 22, 35-43 are allowed. The following is an Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance:

Claims 18-28, 30, 22, 35-43 are considered allowable because no prior art reference or combination of prior art references disclose or suggest the combination of limitations specified in the independent claims including:

"wherein the processor generates a second segment corresponding to at least another portion of the time-sensitive information upon receipt of an acknowledgement message from a receiver wherein the second segment comprises a second segment size less than the minimum segment size" in combination with other claim limitations as specified in claim 18.

"wherein the means for generating generates a second segment, corresponding to at least another portion of the time-sensitive information, upon receipt of an acknowledgment message from a receiver wherein the second segment comprises a second segment size less than the minimum segment size" in combination with other claim limitations as specified in claim 30.

"generating a second segment, corresponding to at least another portion of the time-sensitive information, upon receipt of an acknowledgement message from a receiver, wherein the second segment comprises a second segment size less than the minimum segment size" in combination with other claim limitations as specified in claim 33.

Note: It should also be noted that because physical structure has been defined in claim 18 ie. queue and processor; claim 30 ie. means for ...; and claim 33 ie. queue the examiner has concluded that there are no 101 rejection issues.

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Conclusion

2. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to ROBERT W. WILSON whose telephone number is (571)272-3075. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F (8:00-4:30).

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If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Jay Patel can be reached on 571/272-2988. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 571-273-8300.

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